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1. U.S. Patent No. 6,278,387 issued August 21, 2001 to Maksim Rayskiy; and
2. U.S. Patent No. 6,049,766 issued April 11, 2000 to Jean Laroche.

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